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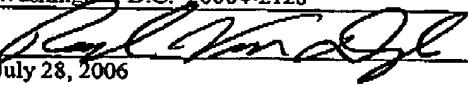
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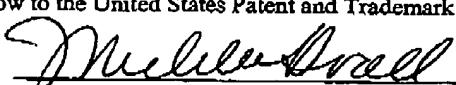
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1053	130	1053 130 Non-English specification
1812	2,520	1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
1804	920*	1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
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1806	180	1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
8021	40	8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
1809	790	2809 395 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))
1810	790	2810 395 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))
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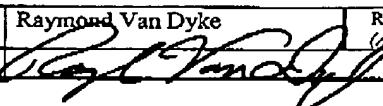
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